

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An apparatus, including an input device for inputting information regarding an individual and/or a receiver for automatically receiving information regarding an individual, wherein the information regarding an individual contains information regarding a diagnosis and/or a treatment plan, a processing device, wherein the processing device processes the information regarding an individual and stores the information regarding an individual in a database or memory device and/or updates a healthcare record associated with the individual, and which processing device automatically generates information regarding an insurance claim which is suitable for being automatically submitted to a healthcare insurer or healthcare payer, and a transmitter for automatically transmitting the information regarding an insurance claim to a computer or communication device associated with the healthcare insurer or healthcare payer.